



## Protection Of Wild Life

Not any too soon, an awakened interest in conservation of wild life and particularly game birds and animals, fur-bearing animals and fish, noted on both sides of the international boundary. This renaissance, if it can be called such, is most timely in view of the probable early extinction of many important and indeed valuable animals and birds if present wasteful methods are to be allowed to continue very much longer.

It is true that governments on both sides of the line have entered into agreements for the protection of some of the best known game birds and a good many regulations have been adopted by state and provincial governments for internal protection of a much wider range of both birds and animals of economic value to mankind, but that alone is not sufficient to ensure perpetuation of a great heritage.

True conservation cannot be attained until the great majority of the farmers in the country and sportsmen in the cities, towns and villages contribute themselves unofficial game guardians and use their utmost endeavors to protect harmless wild life both by example and precept.

More thousands of men in the prairie provinces are already doing this, but maximum results cannot be achieved until practically everybody inured with the necessity of conserving one of the greatest gifts of Nature to humanity.

Both in the United States and Canada lovers of the great outdoors have become thoroughly alarmed at the decimation which has taken place in recent years in the flocks of game birds, both those that inhabit the uplands and those which migrate twice a year from the one country to the other. A similar apprehension at the rapid diminution of herds and flocks of wild game animals is being frequently voiced, and not without justification, in magazines and newspaper articles both north and south of the 49th parallel.

In the United States, where misplaced governmental activities have resulted in large scale destruction of breeding grounds and natural sanctuaries under the name of rehabilitation, sportsmen and conservationists are mooting the advisability of linking up all societies interested in the preservation of wild life in protest to the Federal government and to demand more rigid regulations and restrictions in the interest of fur, feather and hide, not alone for economic reasons but also from the viewpoint of the necessity for preserving the aesthetic features of the countryside.

It is good to note that this awakening desire to conserve the game birds and animals is being extended to include the song birds, for their importance in the balance of Nature is becoming more and more recognized. There was a time when the destruction of song birds was passed over as a matter of little or no importance except by a few bird lovers.

This sympathy towards the winter destination of the feathered songsters of woodland and open prairie is fortunately passing and to-day they are generally regarded as friends of man which should be protected. The majority of them it is now more widely recognized are the foes of insect pests which, if left to multiply without let or hindrance, would in a very short space of time render the world uninhabitable.

To-day not only are people generally refraining from killing song birds and are restraining youth from giving vent to a lust to kill, but are taking more active steps to protect their feathered friends from such natural foes as the crow and the magpie.

In all three provinces there are clubs in operation, formed with the destruction of the crow as the objective of the membership. While differences of opinion as to the menace of the crow have been voiced from time to time, the weight of evidence in the indictment of this bird as an adversary of the insectivorous song birds is overwhelming. One witness for the prosecution, Dr. H. G. Carson of Saskatoon found that 53 per cent. of the crow nests examined by him on behalf of the Fish and Game League last year had been fed eggs or young birds taken from their nests and that examination of more than 300 crows shot during the season by members of the league showed that 28 per cent. of the adult crows had eaten birds or eggs in the height of the nesting season.

In light of this evidence the recently announced sweepstakes competition by the Saskatchewan Government aimed at the destruction of crows and magpies is regarded as a distinct forward movement in the program of preservation of songsters and game birds, and apart from the monetary reward offered for killing banded crows will doubtless be heralded with general approval by Nature lovers.

Last year \$32,015 books and newspapers and 8,000 pieces of Braille music were produced by the National Institute for the Blind in Britain.

In Canada it is unlawful to advertise a "cure" for obesity.

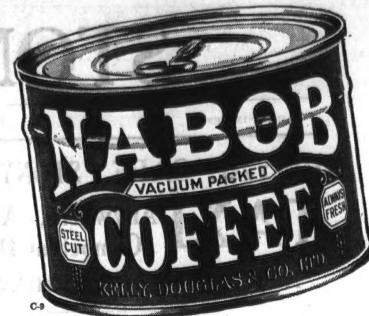
## Mining in Northern Area

## Large Development Program For Northwest Territories This Year

As a result of the geological field program carried out by the Department of Mines last year, great activity in prospecting and mining development will be seen in the Northwest Territories during 1938. The Mining Recorders of the Department of the Interior at Cameron Bay, on Great Bear Lake, and Fort Smith, which lies just west of the Alberta-Northwest Territories boundary, report that while development work has continued on the older or main properties, preparations are being made by numerous interests for the carrying out of an extensive prospecting program this summer.

Prospecting activities will be chiefly centred in the Yellowknife area, also on the north and south shores of the east arm of Great Slave Lake including the islands. At least five major mining companies will have prospecting sites in this field and indications are that many individual parties will also prospect the area. As part of last year's geological field program 10,000 square miles were examined north of the northwest and east arms of Great Slave Lake, and the geological formation of approximately one-third of this area, which forms the southern part of the Yellowknife Game Preserve, was found to be favourable prospecting ground for precious metals.

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## New Lifeboat Invented

## Can Be Sealed And Has Device For Renewing Supply

Victims of future marine catastrophes will find themselves comfortably saved within a sealed, non-sinkable lifeboat, if the invention of a reputable Catalan engineer proves practical.

The new lifeboat that cannot sink is capable of staying 40 to 50 seconds. It can be launched from a landing ship under all weather conditions and in less time than that required to remove the canvas from an ordinary lifeboat.

The inventor is Comte Salomo Vila, the engineer who originated life-saving buoys for occupants of submarines. This invention was demonstrated in Madrid before a group of experts, including officials of the Spanish ministry of marine. It is said that naval experts consider adopting the submarine buoy as part of the general equipment of submarines.

Salomo Vila's latest invention, the non-sinkable lifeboat, is a launch 25 to 30 feet in length and capable of being closed so perfectly that neither air nor water can enter. The lifeboat is equipped with a motor and a special device for renewing the supply of fresh air.

The machinery for lowering the lifeboat after it has been occupied has been perfected by the same inventor. According to Salomo Vila and to witnesses who have seen tests made off the coast and near the town of Matara, the lifeboat can be lowered in all kinds of weather and it is absolutely non-sinkable. These reports add that the interior of the vessel remained perfectly dry during violent storms and that the air was renewed without admitting any water.

## Takes Over New Post

## Thieves Return Stolen Goods To Keep Police Of Roumanian Town From Losing Jobs

The threat of the Roumanian government to fire the whole police force of the town of Buzau, Roumania, for incapacity broke the hearts of a dangerous gang of bandits.

They agreed to post at the chief of police a big reward with the stipulation that "We, the thieves of Buzau, do not want the poor police to lose their jobs and shall consequently transfer our activities to other parts of the country. Our principle is 'live and let live.'

The complaint of a member of parliament, M. Mocanu, whose elegant fur coat was stolen in Buzau, caused the ministry of interior to announce that if the coat was not found within 24 hours, the whole police force, including the chief, would be dismissed. Next morning, a huge parcel containing among other things, the fur coat of the member of parliament arrived at police headquarters.

## Earl Of Willingdon Appointed Warden Of Cinque Ports

The Earl of Willingdon has been appointed Warden of Cinque Ports, a position of considerable dignity, carrying comfortable emoluments and residence at Dover Castle.

Lord Willingdon returned from India after five years as viceroy and it was announced the king had conferred a Marquessate on him.

As Warden of Cinque Ports, the former governor-general of Canada succeeds the late Marquess of Reading, himself a former viceroy of India.

The Cinque Ports—originally Hastings, Romney, Hythe, Dover and Sandwich but now including other "ancient towns" of the south coast of England—are a league enjoying a number of ancient privileges.

The first farm plows were made from crooked tree branches and worked entirely by man power.

## SELECTED RECIPES

## CHEESE BRANS

1 1/2 cups Quaker National Bran  
1 cup Quaker Flour  
1/2 teaspoon baking powder  
6 tablespoons grated cheese  
2 tablespoons shortening  
1/2 cup boiling water  
1 egg

Little salt for sprinkling

Method: Mix dry ingredients thoroughly. Stir in grated cheese, milk shortening in the boiling water and add. Then add well-beaten egg. Roll very thin, using brain in place of flour. Sprinkle with salt, cut with cookie cutter. Bake in slow oven (not over 300 degrees). Delicious with a cup of tea or as an accompaniment for salad.

## Commander Of East Indies

Vice-Admiral Sir Alexander Ramsay Receives Appointment

Vice-Admiral Sir Alexander Ramsay has been appointed commander-in-chief of the East Indies' station of the Royal Navy.

Sir Alexander is the husband of Lady Patricia Ramsay, daughter of the Duke of Connaught and honorary colonel-in-chief of Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry. While in Canada when her father was governor-general, Lady Patricia was known as Princess Patricia, but on her marriage in 1919 she was authorized by royal warrant to relinquish the title of princess of Great Britain and Ireland.

Every boy and baseball fan will want this up-to-date book, "Baseball—and How to Play It," by Frank J. (Shag) Shaughnessy, Manager of the pennant-winning Montreal Royals. Basic rules of the game, base running—all the fine points of the game are clearly explained and illustrated.

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## Romantic History of Mining In Canada From Early Days Forms An Engaging Chapter

The discovery of great wealth hid in the rocks of Canada has been a source of excitement, thrill, and of romance often mixed with tragedy. Dr. Charles Camell remarked to the Canadian Club, and he indicated that the romance was far from ended. Mining on this part of the continent began with the extraction and utilization of copper ore by the Indians on the north shore of Lake Superior and along the Coppermine River near the Arctic Sea. But the first real interest in mining in what's now Canada came with the discovery of placer gold in the Fraser River and in the Caribou district before British Columbia came into Confederation.

Then came the accidental discovery at Sudbury of the greatest nickel deposits in the world when the Canadian Pacific Railway was built in 1885. Next, the rush to the Klondike in 1897 and the production of \$100,000,000 worth of gold from the streams of the Yukon in a few years, which turned the eyes of the world to Canada. But hundreds of prospectors lost their lives in the great adventure.

Another new chapter began with the accidental discovery of exceedingly rich silver deposits at Cobalt when the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway was built in 1902. The valuable experience gained by prospectors, mining engineers and geologists in this district was successfully applied to exploration work all through the northern mining areas of Ontario and Quebec and led to the rapid development of gold production.

Dr. Camell pointed out that there has been the romance of metallurgy as well as the romance of finding Nature's hidden treasures. Miracles were wrought in the successful treatment of ores by the scientific development of new metallurgical processes. This was true of the Flin Flon mine, the great Sullivan mine in British Columbia, and the rich mines of the Sudbury district.

The romantic area is far dung, reaching up to the Great Bear Lake, where the richest radium-bearing ore in the world is found, to the copper deposits at the Coppermine River and on the northwest coast of Hudson Bay, and to various northern points in the Western Provinces where gold deposits have been located.

In one of the greatest times of trouble in the history of the country—the years of the great depression—more help came from mining than from anything else. And the prospect is that, the year to come, will still greater progress will be made in unlocking the mineral wealth of Canada, the extent of which can be only guessed, though it is evidently very great. And the continuing romance will indirectly confer great benefit on the whole country and contribute to the welfare of its people.—Winnipeg Free Press.

### Urge Northern Highway

Suggest Road From Winnipeg Through Saskatoon To Jasper

An all-weather highway over the "ever-green route" running from Winnipeg via Riding Mountain National Park and through Saskatoon to Jasper, and speedy completion of an "all Canadian circuit" tour was urged by the National Parks Highway Association when 30 delegates and members representing the prairie provinces and British Columbia passed to a resolution to be forwarded to provincial governments and the federal government during the course of a general meeting at Saskatoon.

C. H. Grant, K.C., of Edmonton was elected president to succeed A. H. F. Stalik, formerly of Dauphin, and Frank Barnhouse, of Edmonton, was made secretary in place of C. D. Bates, of Dauphin.

"Prince Rupert drops", formed by blowing molten glass into water, can be struck with a hammer without breaking, but if a tiny tip of the tail is broken off, the entire drop flies into powder.

### Vicar Has Right Idea

Installed Radio-gramophone in People Only Hear Good Music

One of the oldest churches on the south coast, at West Dean, near Chichester, England, which was partially burnt down in November, 1934, has been rebuilt at a cost of about \$80,000.

The vicar, the Rev. H. E. Lyne, has installed a radio-gramophone as a permanent fixture.

The innovation has made people appreciate good music," Mr. Lyne stated. "I am determined to let them have the best. It is very difficult for us to do justice to a nice anthem, so I am going to get some really good records to put on. The congregation will be able to hear the music of Westminster Abbey and St. Paul's cathedral, and we will be able to join in the services of other London churches."

The church dates back to Saxon times, and an old Saxon "bevel door" can still be seen. The church has been rebuilt in the old style. When the rebuilding was taking place two coffins were found in a vault under the choir. On each of these was a silver plate bearing coats-of-arms. The silver was bright, although the plates showed that the burial had taken place in 1765 and 1809.

### Western World Could Help

More Charitable To Feed Chinese Than Destroy Food

In a province in China there are anywhere from one million to ten million people on the verge of starvation.

In Brazil they are "burning coffee because there is too much of it. In the United States cotton has been plowed under and millions of pigs have been destroyed because there is too much of it. In India, because of other countries' beef, animals have been destroyed to reduce the surplus. In Canada and the United States we have had for several years a surplus of wheat causing us grave anxieties. In China a million people, to take the lowest estimate, are dying of starvation.

There is no world management. If the world could feed China in her year of disaster no doubt China could repay the world in her years of plenty.

Surely the western world might better bestow in charity her surplus foods on starving China than destroy them by fire or the plow or turn them into the sea.—Toronto Daily Star.

### Butter Consumption In Canada

Amounts To Over Thirty Pounds Per Head Of Population

According to a provisional estimate, the people of Canada consumed 30.91 pounds of butter and 3.61 pounds of cheese per head of population in 1935 when 338,396,970 pounds of butter and 39,572,341 pounds of cheese were disposed of.

In 1934 the consumption of butter was 336,824,894 pounds, or a per capita consumption of 31.12 pounds. Between 1933 and 1934 there was an increase amounting to almost a pound per head, but the 1935 figure is just about three-quarters of a pound above the 1933 figure, and less than one-half pound above the 1932 estimate. In other words, the average run of consumption of butter is over 30 pounds per head of population.

The average consumption of cheese in Canada in 1935 is estimated at 39,572,341 pounds or 3.61 pounds per head of population. This is practically the same per capita figure as in 1934, but compared with 1933 shows a small increase of 0.22 pound, and an increase of 0.36 pound compared with 1932.

Boer antlers are composed, internally, of the same material as that which forms the hair.

Germany is selling a large number of commercial aeroplanes in the Far East.

### Potato Disease

Treating Potatoes For Planting To Control Stem Canker

The potato disease commonly known as "stem canker", "rhizoctonia", "rhizoctonate", and on the tuber as "black scurf", probably contributes more to reducing the yield than any other malady affecting this crop in Canada. The black scurf on the tuber, as is the case with common scab, makes them unsaleable. An attack on the root system bearing the tubers reduces their size and deforms their shape, the degree depending on the earliness of attack, and on the extent of injury.

From studies of this disease by the Dominion Laboratory of Plant Pathology, Edmonton, in co-operation with the University of Alberta, it has become quite clear that scurfy potatoes should be treated before they are planted. Of course there is no point in treating material which is free from scurf, but one must bear in mind that only a slight amount of scurf is just as effective in transferring the disease as a large amount is. In treating, however, one may, if not careful with the time which the tubers are immersed and with the strength of the solution, injure the germination and vitality of the plants, even as much as that caused by the disease. The experiments at the Edmonton Laboratory have shown that the corrosive sublimate method is effective in killing the sclerotinia or scurf on the tuber. Four ounces of corrosive sublimate are dissolved in 25 gallons of water and, if the scurf is abundant and large, the soak period is 1½ hours, but half would be quite sufficient if only a slight amount of small scurf is present. In fact it is proper to use the shorter period where advisable.

### Strip Farming

Method Seems To Be Gaining In Popularity In Saskatchewan

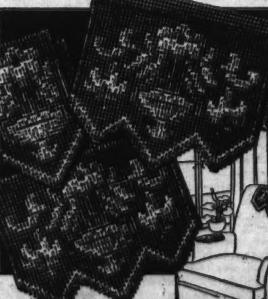
Strip farming is gaining in popularity in Saskatchewan as shown by the fact that between 600 and 700 farmers have applied to the experimental farm at Indian Head for information on strip farming and under the rehabilitation schemes of the federal government.

The seed is free, but first farmers of a district must band themselves into agricultural improvement associations and individually pledge themselves that strip farming methods will be used, that proper cover crop practices will be used and that recommended tillage methods will be followed.

### Search For Oil

In the Pekisko hills, close to the ranch of King Edward VIII, near High River, Alta., work soon will be resumed in the search for oil. A well had been started but drilling was suspended about a year ago after it had been drilled to 3,480 feet. A gas flow of 4,000,000 feet daily was obtained.

### First Crochet -- Then Weave Away!



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There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published.

## Municipal Unit System Found To Improve Health Conditions In Rural Areas

### A Rest Is Needed

Nations As Well As Individuals Irritable From Lack Of Sleep

Inquiring psychologists at the University of Southern California kept three students awake for a period of fifty-four and a half hours and subjected them to various tests. Among other findings is the report that the longer the boys stayed awake the more irritable they became. They had to be watched "to keep them from flying at each other."

This is not a novel discovery, about lack of sleep and irritation going together. But the reminder need not help making people thoughtful at this moment in the international situation. Perhaps the trouble with the world to-day is that too many recently awakened nations are being kept awake too long by their leaders and masters. They are all the time being mobilized, and paraded, and enumerated, and exhorted, and in other ways kept out of bed. As a result they are in a perpetual state of irritation.

It is even worse with the leaders and awakened themselves. Judging by the numbers of speeches and army reviews they must be dead on their feet from lack of sleep. That must be why they are always napping at innocent bystanders.—New York Times.

### To Assist Gardeners

Advice On Raising Vegetables And Flowers Adjacent To Smaller

Specie which is raising flowers and vegetables to withstand the extremes of the Hudson Bay Mining and Smelting Co. smelter, was given members of the Flin Flon Horticultural Society by John Walker, of the Department of agriculture extension service. The exceptional conditions prevailing at Flin Flon have induced the department to give the society all possible help. He also suggested that the society sponsor a series of short courses in horticulture.

It was decided to stage exhibitions, and entry will be made as open as possible, even for Saskatchewan enthusiasts.

### Staff Resignations

Three staff resignations were announced by Dr. R. C. Wallace, president of the University of Alberta, in making his annual report at convocation in Edmonton. Associate Professor Joseph Fisher of the department of English goes to Victoria College, Toronto; Dr. A. Leahy, of the department of soils, will join the Dominion service, while Dr. Emerson Smith leaves to take up practice at Ottawa.

Sharply declining death rates for 39 counties of Quebec in which county health units have been set up, conclusively demonstrate the effectiveness of the county unit system in making public health measures produce actual results even in rural areas, according to Dr. Alphonse Lessard of Quebec, chairman of the committee on county health units of the Health League of Canada, in a report sent to Toronto for submission at the League's annual meeting.

Dr. Lessard is director of the Provincial Bureau of Health of Quebec and is an outstanding pioneer in the development of county health units. Dr. Gordon Bates, general director of the Health League of Canada, said in releasing the report for advance publication.

The committee's report urges the Health League to recommend strongly to the Dominion government that a national program be drafted to provide for uniform and progressive organization of county health units throughout all of Canada.

The system of part-time medical health officers in small communities and rural districts has conclusively proven its inability to provide proper protection to public health. Dr. Bates explained. "Think populated municipalities—small villages and towns which are afraid to pay full time M.O.H.'s, and could not keep them busy anyhow. After exhaustive study, the Health League of Canada is satisfied that county health units, such as are proving so successful in Quebec, offer the solution to this problem.

"These 'units' are really federations of small municipalities—usually single counties but not always set up for the purpose of maintaining, with government assistance, an adequate public health bureau in charge of a competent full-time health officer with authority to enforce the regulations without fear or favor.

"While we believe that a broad and aggressive national health policy should be the concern of Ottawa, we know that it is only through close local supervision that health regulations can be put and kept in force. Under federal guidance, the whole country should be divided into units—according to population and area—with each unit maintaining its own effective bureau to give thorough public health protection to the people."

Since 1926, when county health units began to be established, the general death rate in the 39 counties having health units had dropped 26.5 per cent. by 1934, while in the remaining counties it had dropped only 22 per cent. Dr. Lessard's report shows.

The decrease, expressed in deaths per thousand of population, was from 14.4 to 10.1 in the 39 counties with units, and in the remainder from 14.1 to 10.8.

Infant mortality showed a similar decline in the same period. In the 39 counties the rate dropped 34.8 per cent., and in the remainder 30.3 per cent.

Even more striking were the results in respect to diphtheria mortality, the report shows. The number of deaths from this disease in the 39 counties dropped from 30.0 per cent., and in the remainder 60.1 per cent.

As no health units had actually got into effective operation by the end of 1926, that year is correctly taken as the latest possible sample of conditions prior to establishment of units, the report points out, adding that statistics for 1935 are not yet complete, but that further improvement is indicated by partial results. Concrete results shown are the fruit of only seven years of operation, it is noted.

### Used More Sugar

Canada's consumption of sugar last year amounted to 961,109,960 pounds, according to a return tabled by Trade Minister Ender in the House of Commons. This was the highest figure since 1931 when sugar consumption totalled 1,003,906,912 pounds.



# TARIFF BOARD TO KEEP WATCH ON THE PRICE OF GAS

Ottawa.—The tariff board will be instructed to maintain a watching brief over the gasoline industry in the light of tariff changes announced in the budget, and particularly to keep a close watch on price changes. Finance Minister C. A. Dunning said the House of Commons.

"I propose to ask the tariff board," he said, "to keep in touch with developments which follow the changes in duty proposed in the petroleum schedules and particularly to keep informed as to the price situation and as to the performance of the major companies in rectifying the uneconomic conditions of distribution and to study the relation of railway and other transportation to the petroleum industry."

The changes proposed in the present (petroleum) schedules seem to call for price adjustments in all parts of Canada excepting possibly the populous parts of Quebec and Ontario. If the results which we anticipate do not follow then we will expect to be on the information supplied by the (tariff) board, to come to proper conclusions as to the course which should be pursued."

The minister made his announcement as a climax to a short but stormy discussion of crude oil duties and the gasoline industry as a whole. He said the majority of skimming plants in the west had been guilty of defrauding the government of customs duties in the past and already had paid over \$50,000 in penalties. With the exception of a few owned by farmers, the skimming plants of the west were a "racket" and, judging from profits, a financial gold mine.

Canada is dominated by a gasoline monopoly, Gordon Ross (Lib., Moose Jaw) said when he started the discussion. United States companies in the Canadian field charged higher prices than in American markets.

Prompted by a change in gasoline duties, the Saskatchewan member predicted the big refineries would attempt to raise freight rates on high-grade crude and put small skimming plants out of business.

Mr. Ross said he had no particular objection to the budget change in petroleum tariffs. It placed a one-half cent duty on high-grade crude and was aimed at crude or gasoline which was "spiked" by a small percentage of crude oil.

Small skimming plants used the high-grade crude and could be put out of business by freight increase applications to the railway board. "If any such thing is done, then I or some other person will go to the board and ask for a reduction on freight rates on all petroleum products, at least in western Canada," he declared.

Mr. Ross could figures to show gasoline could be imported at Halifax or Vancouver, all duties and freight and handling charges paid and still below current prices.

T. C. Dunning (C.C.F., Weyburn) made the charge the government was trying to force the skimming plants out of business by the removal of high-grade crude from the free list. The tariff change was "the hand of the government but the voice of the big oil companies" and he moved to replace high-grade oil on the free list. This motion eventually was ruled out of order by Deputy Speaker Sanderson.

This charge was resented by the finance minister who indignantly denied he was acting as an agent for the big oil companies.

Many of the skimming plants were started by farmers and small business in the west, Mr. Dunning said, but at last were sold to a holding company known as Petroleum Securities, Limited. To his knowledge this was the most profitable business in Canada.

The one-half cent duty will not put any honest skimming plant out of business, Mr. Dunning said, but it will absolutely end the business of getting in doctor crude oil or spiked crude."

Automobiles are appearing in many villages of White Russia for the first time.

## Arabs Still Hostile

### Spread Of Anti-Jewish Feeling Feared In Palestine

Jerusalem.—The discovery of another Jew's body in the old quarter of the Holy City raised the recent toll of racial murders here to five as heavy British patrols stood guard along the Jerusalem-Haifa railroad and highway to prevent sabotage.

All convoys were escorted by troops contingents in military trucks. Roads leading from Jerusalem to Jaffa were similarly protected.

An attack by 1,000 Arabs on the funeral of Karl Briehtinger, a slain Christian, led authorities to fear Arab anti-Jewish feeling was spreading to include all foreigners in Palestine.

The Arabs invaded the Catholic cemetery where the burial service was in progress, seized the coffin from the burial party, and held it up until the arrival of a police squad, when they abandoned it and fled.

Says Baritone Classes For Young  
Vocalists Should Not Be  
Altered

Calgary — Tenor and baritone classes for singers under 19 years of age should not be altered, declared Arthur Crammer, of London, England, adjudicator at the Alberta musical festival here.

"It is wrong that these young men should be singing these songs at their age. They will ruin their voices," the adjudicator said. "There were so few good singers that it was a pity to spoil the ones who did possess good voices."

## Empire Migration

### Plans For Settlement Of British Families In Manitoba

Winnipeg.—Representatives of the Empire Migration Settlement group have asked the Manitoba government for an appointment to discuss settlement plans it was announced at Manitoba government offices.

Word from London said the group were informed the Manitoba legislature supports plans for settlement of British families here. P. O. Schonegevel, chairman of the group, is on his way to Manitoba in connection with the scheme.

## Cut Bank Interest Rates

### Canadian Bankers' Association An- nounces Change Effective June 1

Toronto.—S. H. Logan, general manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce and president of the Canadian Bankers' Association, has announced on behalf of the association a reduction of one-half of one per cent. in the rate of interest paid by chartered banks on savings deposits and deposit receipts.

The change, effective June 1, reduces the rate from two to 1½ per cent. The statement follows:

The chartered banks announce that owing to the present low interest rates on Dominion treasury bills and other short-term securities, to the continued lack of demand for commercial loans, and in the increasing burden of taxation, a reduction of one-half of one per cent. is necessary in the rate of interest paid on savings deposits and deposit receipts, and that the change will become effective June 1 next.

## Relief Works In Quebec

Montreal.—A program of relief works will be substituted for cash relief in Quebec province effective June 1. Municipal Affairs Minister Bouchard announced. Jobs will be absorbed as relief projects get underway.

## German Cruiser Leaves

Montreal.—The German cruiser Emden slid out of her berth at Laurier Pier, and started down the St. Lawrence River, en route to Spain, on the last leg of a world cruise after a six-day stay in Montreal waters.

Nanking.—Drastic regulations in an attempt to curb large-scale smuggling into North China, twice subject of protests from the Chinese government to Japan have been announced. One measure provides the death penalty for six classes of violators.

## SEEKS LEADERSHIP



Col. George A. Drew, K.C., former Ontario Securities Commissioner, who has announced his candidature for the Ontario Conservative Party leadership.

## Illicit Drug Traffic

### League Is Advised That Japan Is Shipping Drugs To Canada And U.S.

Geneva.—Morphine, heroin and cocaine manufactured "by permission of the Japanese ministry of interior" are being offered in unlimited quantities to dope rings in the United States and Canada by Japanese manufacturers, the League of Nations' advisory committee on traffic in opium was informed.

Reports from the United States and Canadian governments prove the existence in the two countries of organized rings importing narcotics from Japan, the committee was told. The reports included the name and address of the principal Japanese source of supply and correspondence in which the Japanese merchant allegedly informed his American and Canadian customers how to smuggle the narcotics into their countries.

The Tokyo government has been supplied with complete details of the illicit traffic, the reports said.

The Canadian government report indicated the quantities of illicit narcotics seized in Canada during 1935 were slightly less than in the previous years. A total of 163 persons were convicted on narcotic charges last year compared to 226 in 1934, the report said. Of the persons convicted, 69 were serving undesirable aliens after serving prison sentences.

Develops Tourist Traffic

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## DID THE FAMOUS BOX REVEAL SECRETS?



The alleged leakage of Budget information, which has plunged British political circles into an uproar, may mean the resignation of Jim Thomas, famous National Labor leader. As a result of the alleged leakage, Thomas' son and a great friend are alleged to have made a large profit at the expense of Lloyd's. At the left is Neville Chamberlain, British Chancellor of the Exchequer, leaving his home to walk to the House of Commons. In the famous dispatch case was the budget information about which, according to Mr. Chamberlain, has "never leaked out". At the right is Mr. Thomas, whose political future has suffered a severe jolt.

## Union Proposal

### U.S. Representative Suggests Union Between Canada And States

Washington.—A union between the United States and Canada was proposed by Representative Sirovich (D., N.Y.) in a resolution providing for a joint senate and house of representatives committee of 10 to hold hearings on the plan with similar Canadian group.

Sirovich contended both countries would derive great benefits from the union, naming among others solution of the unemployment problem, mutual use of ports and highways, elimination of tariffs, availability of United States capital for Canadian development, and greater strength in defence against any common enemy.

The committee Sirovich proposed would seek to determine the wisdom of the union, under which Newfoundland would enter the union under the same status as the States and Canada and Newfoundland citizens would become "American citizens with all the privileges of citizens of the United States of America."

Sirovich said the two countries together "would become the greatest English speaking nation in the world, covering the greatest amount of continental territory with vast areas waiting for development." His resolution would authorize \$25,000 for the congressional committee.

He said that in any dealings with Canada, her dominion status must be borne in mind, but explained that the 1931 statute of Westminster provided "that the parliament of a dominion has full power to make laws having extra-territorial operation."

Reports from the United States and Canadian governments prove the existence in the two countries of organized rings importing narcotics from Japan, the committee was told. The reports included the name and address of the principal Japanese source of supply and correspondence in which the Japanese merchant allegedly informed his American and Canadian customers how to smuggle the narcotics into their countries.

The Tokyo government has been supplied with complete details of the illicit traffic, the reports said.

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The society now has branches in Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto and Vancouver.

Finding Jobs On Farms

Toronto.—More than 2,000 men have been taken from relief rolls of Ontario municipalities and placed on farms, Hon. David A. Croll, minister of welfare, said. Before the summer is over the department expects to find 15,000 jobs, Mr. Croll said.

## STUDY LETHAL GAS CHAMBER METHOD OF EXECUTIONS

Ottawa.—A parliamentary committee will be established next session to consider the advisability of substituting a lethal gas chamber for hanging in murder cases. Hon. Ernest Lapointe, minister of justice, advised the House of Commons.

Discussing the Blair bill to make the change now, the minister said he has reports from five American states where the gas chamber has been used indicating it was more humane and less costly than hanging.

Conservative Leader R. B. Bennett was opposed to any change in the manner of executing murderers, believing hanging was the best死刑 ever demonstrated.

This view did not seem to be general, J. S. Woodsworth, C.C.F. leader, and H. E. Wilton (Cons., Hamilton West), calling hanging a barbarous custom that had outlived its usefulness.

The lethal chamber, Mr. Lapointe said, was used in Nevada, Arizona, Colorado, Wyoming and North Carolina with a central execution depot in each state.

The "humane" of the lethal chamber was a debatable point, the minister admitted, "but in those states the officials claim it is by far the most humane and efficient."

Since the Blair bill was introduced, Mr. Lapointe had discussed it with provincial attorneys-general, but they seemed reluctant to express opinions. Most of them, however, seemed to favor a change.

C. F. Plaxton, an official of the justice department, visited all the five states, Mr. Lapointe said, and prepared a report which "is rather favorable to the chamber, but this will involve such a radical change in what is the present law and practice in Canada that I am of the opinion this matter should be given a second hearing and investigated until public opinion in this country can express itself as to what we should do."

If the gas chamber was adopted there would be one central execution place, Mr. Lapointe said. There might be one for the Maritimes, one for Quebec, one for Ontario and one for the west.

## Empire Air Service

### Move Is Made By British Govern- ment To Speed Up Schedules

London.—The House of Commons passed a financial resolution dealing with long-term subsidies for the empire's air routes. The vote was 259 to 122.

"If our proposals mature," said Sir Philip Sassoon, under-secretary for air, in introducing the resolution, "Britain will get record value for her money." He said the scheme was designed to provide for a "striking acceleration" of schedules; an increase in the frequency of the services and the carriage of all first-class air mail at the rate of three halfpence (three cents) per ounce.

Imperial Airways, Sir Philip told the house, was aiming at a 2½ day schedule to West Africa, 4½ days to South Africa, six or seven days to Australia, 2½ days to India and 4½ to Singapore. He said the South African and Singapore services already had been duplicated.

Candidate For By-Election

Victoria.—Former Premier S. P. Tolmie has accepted the invitation of the Victoria Conservative Association to stand in the Victoria federal by-election June 8. The Liberal and Co-operative Commonwealth Federation parties, who will contest the by-election, have yet to announce their candidates.

## Big Sum For Veterans

Montreal—American Legion veterans in Montreal will receive payments amounts to \$200,000 bonds quarters of the Montreal post of the Legion announced. Veterans will receive their bonus in bonds, each of \$50 denominations. United States treasury cheques will cover any balance not paid up by the bonds.

## STONY PLAIN SUN.

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### Advertising Rates.

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### Taking the Census.

Householders in the rural districts and in the towns and villages in the Edson-Jasper Riding will do well to prepare for callers, starting Monday next, June 1st. You may think they're inquisitive, probably, but they'll be no less courteous for that.

The Quinquennial census conducted in the three Prairie provinces will start on the date mentioned.

These Federal agents will drop in to stay a while, as they'll be granted to know all about every one and everything—no person will be ignored in this round-up.

Each enumerator will have a list of 36 questions which must be answered for the Dominion Government records. The information obtained will be sifted into interesting reports, which will give a complete picture of western Canada's populace.

Householders answering a knock at the door will be met with "I'm the Census taker."

Then comes: "Your name. Address. Own your place, or rent. How much taxes or rent. Age. Sex. Married. Nationality. Born. Racial origin. Speak English. Read and write. Employed. Earnings." and so on thru the list of 36 questions.

While householders may not be enthusiastic about the idea, 'tis well to remember that it's not so easy for the enumerator—that 36 questions are just as many to ask as to answer.

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### Sports Meeting Tonight.

The big meeting of the Sports Day Club's combined committee takes place tonight, Thursday, the 28th. The various committees have been working energetically on their own problems, and at the coming meeting it is expected that these plans will be submitted for the approval of the Executive. As usual, baseball will be the big drawing card on the First; and already more than the usual quota of competing teams have expressed their intention of being present.

### Editor Loses His Gold Medal.

It's a low-down thief who would steal the editor's clothes. Some thief lower than the usual run broke into the editor's home on Tuesday evening and stole the editor's Sunday clothes, together with a silver wrist watch, a long solid gold watch chain, an L.O.D.E. gold medal, an estimate of the loss being \$10. —Editor Liveridge, in the Wetaskiwin Free Press.

### Obituary.

A funeral service was held on Sunday afternoon last, May 24th, at the Glory Hills Reform Church for Allan Witmire of Daysland, who had passed away Wednesday May 20, aged 64 years. Rev C H Reppert, the pastor, officiated. Interment took place in Glory Hills cemetery.

Deceased is survived by four brothers—Simon and Cyrus, of Glory Hills; Irvin and Noah, of Fordwich, Ont.

### C. N. Train Service.

Trains from the East arrive here on Sunday, Tues., Thurs. at 1:32 p.m.

Trains from the West arrive here on Sunday, Wed. and Friday at 6:23 p.m.

Young People's Society of Glory Hills German Baptist Church meets every Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the Church Building. Everybody Welcome.

### TOWN OF STONY PLAIN.

#### Notice of Preparation of Assessment Roll.

Town of Stony Plain—Assessment Roll, 1936.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Assessment Roll of the Town of Stony Plain for the year 1936 has been prepared and is now open for inspection at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer from ten o'clock in the forenoon until four o'clock in the afternoon on every day which is not a public holiday, except Saturday, and on that day from ten o'clock in the forenoon until two o'clock in the afternoon, and that any person who desires to object to the entry of his name or that of any other person upon the said Roll, or to the assessment of any property or to the assessed value placed upon any property, must within thirty days after the date of this notice lodge a complaint in writing with the Secretary-Treasurer of the Town.

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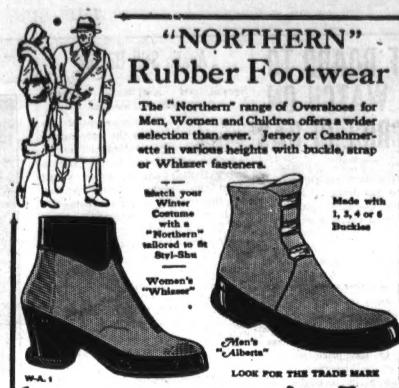
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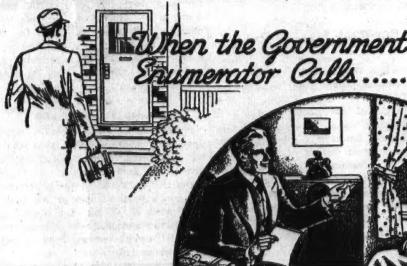
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ALL INFORMATION IS HELD STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL. You can place absolute trust in the official enumerator who calls on you. All information you provide will be held in the strictest confidence. It is compulsory by law to answer the questions put by the enumerator. But you are living up to the spirit of good citizenship as well as to the letter of the law by giving information readily, completely and sincerely.

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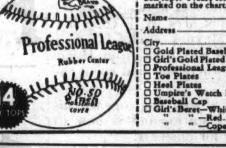
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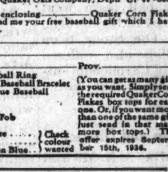
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CHAPTER XIV.—Continued

"Anybody been talking to the men?" he asked. "I'm not talking to any men."

Townsend's glance was sharp. "A gent named Ferguson, the guy you just fired. Been brewin' trouble ever since he's worked here. Say, I followed him just now, and I—Wal!" he added with pride, "my nickname's Buster. Wal'll you see Ferguson?" The foreman chuckled and whacked his thigh. "Yuh'll know I earned my handle that time!"

CHAPTER XV.

Link tossed reins over his mustang's ears and went to the front door of the Triple H ranch house. There was no answer to his knock, and with the easy familiarity of the west he opened the door and looked within. No one was there. He then walked around the side of the ranch-board structure to the rear, thinking to learn from Ah Wee, the Chin cook, the whereabouts of his master.

Of a sudden he came upon her, and his pulse slowed, then beat faster than before. Rising from a kitchen chair which she had brought outdoors to sit in brilliant sunshine, was Helen Hamilton, her smooth hair tumbled over her shoulders to form an dazzling background for her finely chiseled features. She had in her hands a book which she had been reading, and now, at sight of him, showed surprise.

"Oh—heh, Link."

If her welcome lacked its usual warmth he did not notice as he took in the loveliness of her, the rose

petal texture of her complexion, the large eyes and the glittering halo of wavy hair. He moved nearer to take her small hands while his eyes roved again over her head and her shoulders. "Say, this is pretty hard on a young fellow. Maybe you know that already, eh?"

She looked away as if ill at ease. "It's nice of you to say that."

Fleming had utterly forgotten his errand; he could think of nothing but the vision of beauty before him.

His sun-darkened face betrayed a slight flush as he leaned down, with his hands clasped in his hair. But her small hands pushed against his chest as she sought to free herself.Quickly abashed, he released her, and they stood silent a moment, avoiding each other's eyes.

"C'mon, I'm sorry... Reckon I oughtn't to've done that."

Still she said nothing. "You look like she. You aren't ill, Helen?"

"No. Please tell me what you came for."

He finished a puzzled look. "It isn't very good news, I'm afraid. You see, somebody caused a landslide at the dam. It didn't kill anyone, but Orline and Dooley got badly hurt and I had 'em sent to my ranch house. I guess it didn't do as much damage as was expected, but it did enough," he declared grimly, and launched into an account of the affair, deciding not to mention Buzz and Kilgo's attempt on his life.

Helen looked grave. "I'm awfully sorry. No doubt it was well to get rid of Ferguson if he caused all the trouble. Do you think he started the landslide?"

"Somebody put Ferguson up to makin' trouble, and whoever it was probly did it himself."

"I see." She looked away. "Was there anything else you wanted to tell me?"

Link felt strangely disturbed at her coolness. He looked about for a place to seat himself. Helen rested again in the kitchen chair and he settled his tall muscular frame on the low step of the cook house doorway at her feet. He had hated telling her, but it had to be done. "Buzz came over to see me this mornin'."

She glanced at him in surprise. "I didn't know that."

"You didn't? That's queer. Buzz said he'd talked it over with you, and you sent him to ask me—because he's paroled to me. I thought..."

Helen leaned forward. "What do you mean?"

He saw that she did not follow, that she had no knowledge of Buzz's errand.

"Your brother came to pay my

bill this morning to say he thought he could make a man of himself if he

had responsibility. He wanted me to put in a word so's you'd sign over power of attorney for your ranch—so he could take charge, he was before. Buzz went on that it was a man's job, and that if he didn't have a chance, how could he prove himself reformed?"

Helen gave a little toss of her head that sent the glittering mass of hair back over her shoulders. "He said that? Of course, there is a great deal in it. Now that I think, I recall, and rested her chin in her palm. "I'm not a one hand, 'I'm did mention that of the time when we didn't really discuss it. Of course when he receives a full pardon from the Governor I'll turn over his half of the spread, and perhaps give him charge of my part too."

"But that's different than the way things are now," Fleming said dryly. "He proceeded to recount his interview with Buzz, step by step as it had happened. When he reached the point where both men had become pointed, he began to feel uncomfortable for the troubled surprise that showed on her oval face. But he forced himself to go on, even to mention the struggle.

When he ended Helen made no comment for a full minute. Then a look of pain wavered over her countenance and the Triple H mistress leaned back in her chair to regard him thoughtfully.

"Why did you knock him down, Link?"

He fished an astonished look. "Why, he grabbed my gun! He wouldn't stop me, may've killed me, sure as I'm sittin' here!"

She frowned down at her hands.

"I'm afraid I'll have to hear Buzz's side. Strange," she added. "He has been here since that occurred but he didn't mention it."

"You mean you think I'm lying?"

"No, I wouldn't. Buzz is being angry. You didn't—didn't you touch him very hard?" she rasped.

"I see." She looked away. "Was there anything else you wanted to tell me?"

He simply stared at her from under brown knotted in astonishment. Finally he looked away and kicked a stick at a stick. How could she feel thus on the facts stated? How could she blame him?

"Roper Kilgo took Buzz up to that—'I found it out,'" he declared, looking straight into her widest eyes.

"He convinced Buzz that I'm after you're spread, that I've got something crooked up my sleeve to freeze you

out of the dam. I told Buzz about our partnership agreement, and that's when he went for my gun.

"But, pshaw, Helen, you don't put any stock in that kind of talk, do you? Kilgo was against irrigation and thought he headed it off at the mouth when Torney said it was no good. Now he begins to see the water will work. That water will make our spread the most valuable in the county instead of his, and that rubs Roper the wrong way. Don't take much brain power to see he's behind the trouble we're having with the men. He was waiting for Buzz when we got through our talk, and I saw the pair of 'em—

"Don't, Link—don't go on like that. You place him in a bad light. It doesn't help to talk wildly and accuse Roper of everything that goes wrong. Especially when I know better."

He started sucking breath sharply.

"What do you mean?"

Her chin quivered slightly and her pale face seemed to go stiller, paler. She avoided his eyes, to stave down her tapering fingers. At last Helen assumed a determined expression and lifted her gaze to meet his.

"Link, I've about decided to accept a loan Roper offered me. With that and the money from our steer tomorrow I want to buy you out of the dam. What price will you make?"

An exclamation sprang from his lips as he scrambled quickly to his feet. Helen also rose. "What! You want—"

He stared in blank, incredulous amazement at her winsome face now wearing an expression the like of which he had never seen before. "Wh—what did you say?" he repeated in an awed, far-away tone.

"Take money from him? You want to quit the partnership? To buy out?"

She nodded, her breast heaving turbulently. "Yes. What price will you make, please?"

His throat was so dry that he could not answer at once. Still he stared, his lower jaw sagging. Link passed a hand over his forehead and frowned. "Why, I won't sell out. Not to anybody!"

Helen Hamilton looked away. "Then will you buy me out? Will you pay me a fair price and dissolve the partnership?"

"Gosh!" he whispered. "I—don't want to! Anyhow, I couldn't raise the money. No, I couldn't do it."

There ensued a brief silence.

"How much do I owe for my part so far?"

He shifted weight, scarcely crediting his ears. "Nine hundred or so. I dunno."

He had left out the five hundred he had personally borrowed from Bunker Otto Pieper, and the five hundred he owed Marty Bush. Also his share of the expense of building the dam which they did not know exactly as yet—McLendon's salary, wages owed, materials not paid for.

Helen realized this. "It must be a great deal more than that. One thousand for half of our first note, four hundred of the eight hundred dollars I lost when Buster Townsend held me up."

"But he didn't! Say!" As Link advanced a step she stepped back, her hands raised as if to fend him off. "Buzz told you that? But, Helen, Buster didn't pull that job! Why, I put it up to him an' he proved an'li' Buster wouldn't do that—he's the best man I've got."

(To Be Continued)

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**Motored to Alliance.**

Garnet and Bessie Yost, Ruth Meads and Stan Jamison motored down to Alliance last week end to visit the former's sisters, Mrs Kenney and Mrs Talbot. While there they visited the Buffalo Park, at Wainwright, and took in the sports day at Lougheed.

**Sporting Notes.**

The Weatherman did most of the scoring during the past week. The golf tournament was washed out, and there were no ball games played in Stony.

The basketball girls played 2 games—Spruce Grove took a one-sided game on the local court 17-5; while Comet was less fortunate, losing by 15-10.

—At Fort Saskatchewan—

This town was well represented at the Fort's sports day, held on Monday.

The local ball team went down, and lost to Bruderheim by 9 to 5. The Stony team of basketballers also suffered defeat. Ruby Carmichael suffered a sprained ankle in the first inning.

**Stony Plain and District.**

Mr and Mrs A E Michael and family spent the holiday with friends at Halkirk.

Mr and Mrs Larson took in the sports at The Fort on Monday.

Miss Christine Paier graduated on Tuesday as a nurse at the Vegreville hospital. A party of her friends from Stony Plain were present at the graduation exercises.

Mr Martin Ursel, who plays the saxophone in the Ursel orchestra, returned on Friday from Ryley, and has gone to Edmonton, to complete his studies.

Mrs Wm Comisarow, Viking, was a holiday visitor in Stony.

Mr H Trapp motored down a party of friends to Fort Saskatchewan on the holiday.

**BUTTER AND EGGS WANTED** at The Royal Cafe.

**Lecture Tomorrow Night.**

A lecture is being given in the United Church on Friday, May 29, at 8.30 p.m. by Miss Grace Pattullo, winner of the Australian Government Essay Competition sponsored throughout Canada by Mr L R MacGregor, the Australian Trade Commissioner in Canada.

Miss Grace Pattullo spent five months in Australia, which was the prize for winning the competition, and gives a most delightful word-picture of her trip in that country. She has many curios and articles of interest from Australia to exhibit and add to the interest of her lecture. A good crowd is expected to hear this youthful lecturer tell of the beauties of our Sister Dominion.

**Spruce Grove News.**

Mr and Mrs Dan Brox are leaving on Saturday for a trip to Toronto and Kitchener, Ont.

Mrs Dr. Maynes of Wainwright was a visitor at the home of Mrs W J Connolly. Mrs Maynes stopped off here on her way back from Honolulu, where she had spent the winter.

Mr Stitt has opened his service station and is now all ready for business.

A busy week end is being planned for the ball players—on Friday they play Enox Indians and on Sunday with Stony Plain. Both are home games.

Jack Nichols has had a new sign painted by the local sign writer Harry Brox.

A "shower" was held at the home of Mrs J Forbes, Tuesday, May 26, for Miss Audrey Schwindt. The town ladies were all present, and some handsome gifts were presented.

The Catholic Women are having a "shower" for Miss Schwindt at the home of Mrs Connolly on Thurs. May 28.

Mr Ferd Nadon came home for the busy week end, to give his Dad a helping hand in the hotel.

The funeral service of Theophilus Kruger, who had passed away in Edmonton, aged 42 years, was held on Sunday at St Matthew's church, the Rev Risch officiating. The pall bearers were M. Ducholke, J. Lutz, B. Dering, H. Sommerfield. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, 1 daughter and 2 sons.

For a big meal or a good lunch, try Jack Nichols, at the Hotel Restaurant.

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N.W. 26-52-1-5, Ph. Littenberger, Stony Plain P.O.:

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No. 3 Northern	0.51
No. 4 Northern	0.49
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